

Institutional Profile for ALR Educational Health Services

Background At the June 16, 2020 business meeting the Board considered ALR Educational Health Services' institutional authorization and a request to offer the Certificate in Licensed Practical Nursing at Mishawaka. The Board declined institutional and program authorization. In response to the discussion at the previous meeting, further documentation has been submitted for consideration by the Board.

Previously in December 2018 the Board considered ALR Educational Health Services' institutional authorization and a request to offer the Certificate in Licensed Practical Nursing at Mishawaka. The Board declined institutional and program authorization.

ALR Educational Health Services was "accredited" by the Office for Career and Technical Schools (OCTS) until October 2018. Accreditation was voluntarily withdrawn in December 2018. The institution continues to operate programs that do not require the regulation of OCTS because training is offered to employees of a company as opposed to the general public. Some programs do require the approval of the Indiana State Department of Health (ISDH). These ISDH regulated programs include Qualified Medication Aide/Insulin, Certified Nursing Assistant, and Patient Care Attendant.

ALR Educational Health Services operated non-nursing programs in Orlando, Florida from 2013-2016; during that time the institution was regulated by the Florida Board of Nursing and the Florida Department of Education.

Institutional Control Private, for-profit institution.

Institutional Accreditation Ms. Ayana Redding, CEO of ALR Educational Health Services, submitted a detailed timeline for seeking institutional accreditation with the Accrediting Bureau of Health Educational Schools (ABHES). Ms. Redding was awarded an ABHES Accreditation Workshop Certificate of Completion in September 2019. As stated in the timeline for seeking accreditation, Ms. Redding intends to submit the draft Self Evaluation Report (SER) to ABHES by November 1, 2021. A preliminary ABHES site visit may occur between February and April 2022. The final SER must be submitted by May 1, 2022. An ABHES on-site team visitation would occur between August and November 2022. ABHES accreditation could be granted at its January 2023 meeting.

Participation in Student Financial Aid Students who are attending ALR Educational Health Services at Elkhart, LaPorte, Mishawaka or South Bend are not eligible to receive Title IV federal financial aid. ALR Educational Health Services participates in Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) funding for some, but not all programs.

Enrollment ALR Educational Health Services does not currently submit data to the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES). ALR Educational Health Services reported having enrolled 60 students in calendar year 2019.

Programs ALR Educational Health Services offers programs at the certificate level. Programs range from various medication aide training to one-on-one personal care. All programs offered are in the field of allied health, specifically in-home care. Unique to ALR Educational Health Services is that many programs include on-site clinical experience through the related company, ALR Adult Care Services.

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Financial Responsibility Composite Score (FRCS) ALR Educational Health Services does not currently submit audited financials to the U.S. DOE and thus does not have a FRCS.